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Title: ACTIVE AREA BONDING COMPATIBLE HIGH CURRENT STRUCTURES**REMARKS**

Applicant has reviewed the Final Office Action mailed on May 24, 2005 and the Advisory Action mailed September 2, 2005. Claims 39-56, 58-63, 66-67 and 85-102 are pending in this application.

Examiner Interview Summary

Applicant thanks the Examiner for the teleconference regarding prosecution of the application on September 15, 2005. The Examiner and the Applicant discussed the Amendment filed by the Applicant on August 24, 2005 in response to the Final Office Action. The Applicant pointed out that the claims were amended so that all the elements the Examiner indicated as being allowable in the Final Office Action were included in the independent claims and that the added dependant claims were merely added to capture the original claim coverage with the allowable elements. The Examiner reviewed the Amendment of August 24, 2005 and acknowledged that the Amendment of August 24, 2005 did not raise new issues that required further consideration and that the application is in condition for allowance. The Examiner then suggested filing this Amendment requesting reconsideration of the Response of August 24, 2005 for the record.

Accordingly, the Applicant requests reconsideration of the Amendment filed on August 24, 2005.

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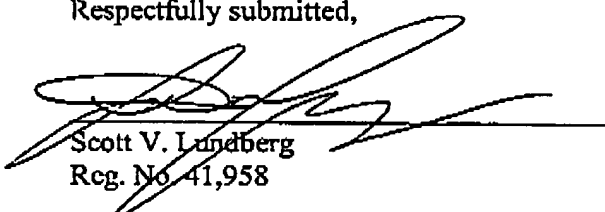
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Applicant respectfully submits that claims 39-56, 58-63, 66, 67 and 85-102 are in condition for allowance and notification to that effect is earnestly requested. If necessary, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayments to Deposit Account No. 502432.

If the Examiner has any questions or concerns regarding this application, please contact the undersigned at 612-455-1690.

Respectfully submitted,

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